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PERSONS LEAVING THE CITY

During the summer can have THE NORFOLK VIRGINIAN mailed to them by ordering it at this office, either in person or by letter.

Rider Haggard was permitted to publish all his books in peace, but when he decided to stand for Parliament he was mobbed. The English have a queer conception of the relative gravity of offenses, remarks Times-Union.

Here is another fellow who wants the earth. Henry Cabot Lodge—he of the Force bill fame—says he is in favor of annexing Cuba, Hawaii and Newfoundland, and of commencing negotiations for the annexation of Mexico and Central America.

The Democrats of Charlotte county, Va., held a primary election last week and unanimously nominated Mr. Henry C. Rice to succeed Dr. Priddy, whose course in the last State Legislature is well remembered. The nomination of Mr. Rice was a set back to ring rule, and a square recognition of honest primaries and honest politics.

The corn crop of the United States this year promises to be, by long odds, the largest ever known in the history of the country. The time has arrived when estimates can safely be made, and it is confidently predicted, that the yield will amount to fully two and a quarter billions of bushels. This will be far in excess of the yield of 1891; which saw the greatest crop ever produced in this country up to that time.

The VIRGINIAN is of the opinion that President Spencer, of the Southern Railroad has outlined the policy of his company very openly and very conspicuously, inasmuch as it relates to the development of this port. The purchase of extensive terminal facilities along our harbors' front, and the contract arrangement with the city for the valuable property leased, presents an outline of policy in acts that is even more emphatic than words. Norfolk has been selected as the deep water terminal of this great system of railroad, and that means a great deal as relating to Norfolk's development.

ARE GIRLS SMARTER THAN BOYS?

Twenty-three young ladies and one young man were graduated from the Houston, Tex., High School a few days ago, and the fact leads the Daily Post of that city to remark:

"Why this great disproportion between the boys and the girls graduated? Obviously the first answer is that the boys after a short season are compelled to go to work, or do go to work. The majority of youths who are forced to do with a common school education cannot wait until manhood to commence life's battle in earnest, and yet if they pursue the public school curriculum to the end this must practically result, for it retains them in school until they are 18 or 19 years of age."

The question is often asked, whether girls are smarter than boys as a general thing, and there are those who hold that opinion. Each individual case should, however, be judged by its own particular surroundings.

THE COINAGE OF SILVER.

The coinage of silver before 1873 is known to have been only a little over eight millions of silver dollars, and it is not true as stated by Mr. Harvey, the author of "Coin's Financial School," that \$143,000,000 of silver were coined before 1873, or that so much legal tender silver was ever coined before 1873. Here is a statement of the coinage of gold and full legal tender silver, by periods, prior to 1873:

Period.	Gold.	Silver, full legal tender.
1792-1834.....	\$ 11,825,500	\$36,275,000
1835-1858.....	224,965,750	42,958,200
1859-1873.....	514,804,921	5,534,948
Totals.....	\$781,054,511	\$84,722,320

Between 1853 and 1873, in addition to the above, there were coined \$57,443,769 in subsidiary silver, which was a limited legal tender only. But all of the silver mentioned was never in circulation at any one time.

After the change of the ratio in 1834, by which silver was undervalued, both dollars and subsidiary coins rapidly vanished from circulation because there was a profit in exporting them. Finally in 1853, the weight of the subsidiary coins was reduced, and free coinage of them stopped.

The fifty-seven millions coined from that time till 1873 were not coined on private account, but were coined from bullion purchased by the Government at the market price. The whole amount of silver coined under our free coinage laws was less than \$85,000,000. The greater part of this was exported, and doubtless much subsidiary silver was exported during the irredeemable greenback era, when it was out of circulation.

"SILVER AGITATION A DISTURBING ELEMENT."

Upon his return from England on business connected with the delivery of \$30,000,000 of United States bonds to the Belmont-Morgan syndicate, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury W. E. Curtis, has this to say "about the English view of the agitation of financial legislation in this country:"

"I found the feeling regarding investments in United States stocks, bonds and other securities, both public and private, better than I had expected. There is a very large amount of money in England awaiting investment, and I am satisfied that if the owners were assured that the value of what they bought would not be reduced by legislation regarding our currency, large amounts of money would flow to this side of the water, and an era of great prosperity would follow in this country."

The Philadelphia Record, in commenting on the situation, says that the surest way to destroy the credit of the United States in every money centre of the world would be to open our mints to the free and unlimited coinage of silver; and persistent agitation in which the Silverites are indulging is very effectual in disturbing that confidence in American investments which foreign capital has manifested in recent years. The Record is right, and the sooner the agitation is stopped the better it will be for the country.

Endurance.

How much the heart may bear and yet not break!
How much the flesh may suffer, yet not die!
I question much if any pain or ache
Of soul or body brings our end more nigh.
Death chooses his own time. Till that is sworn
All evils may be borne.

We see a sorrow rising in our way
And try to flee from the approaching ill;
We seek some small escape we cannot pray,
But when the blow falls then our hearts are still.

Not that the pain is of its sharpness shorn,
But that it can be borne.
We wind our life about another life;
We hold it closer, dearer than our own.
Anon it faints and fails in deathly strife,
Leaving us stunned and stricken and alone.
But, ah, we do not die with those we mourn.
This also can be borne.

Behold, we live through all things—famine, thirst,
Bereavement, pain, all grief and misery,
All woe and sorrow. Life inflicts its worst
On soul and body, but we cannot die.
Though we be sick and tired and faint and worn.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

At a recent meeting of the Political Equality club of Danville, N. Y., letters were read from editors heartily endorsing woman suffrage and offering their columns for its promulgation. One editor said he believed the foundation of government was the home, and as women especially represent the home they should by all means have a voice in government. Another editor said he would gladly lend his columns to show women their duty in this direction, believing that it was their duty to have a voice and share the responsibilities of government.

Yachting Outfits.

Every woman who goes on a yacht should have at least five duck suits. They can be varied by different blouses. An effective blouse is made of turkey red trimmed with white soutache braid, put on in lines forming a V. They should only be the width of the braid apart.

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3.00

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2.00

All Wool Knee Pants Suits for boys, all sizes, double breasted Jackets, double seat, double knee, patent bands and riveted buttons on pants, suits that have sufficient weight for year round wear.

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Knee Pants for boys, all sizes to age 15 inclusive, neat design, strong and durable pants that afford every boy an opportunity to keep tidy at small cost. Think of it—Only Ten cents.

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Stylish Suits for young men, faultlessly tailored, beautifully trimmed and as perfect fitting as the best measure made suits. Seven Dollars takes the choice as long as they last.

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Bottom Prices.

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MEN'S	MEN'S	MEN'S	MEN'S
Working Pants, strong and durable. Mid-Summer Price	Elegant Cassimere Pants, natty style. Mid-Summer Price	Fashionable Light and Dark Striped Pants, best make. Mid-Summer Price	Office Coats. You can also use them for house comfort. Mid-Summer Price
73c.	\$1.24	\$2.69	21c.
MEN'S	MEN'S	MEN'S	MEN'S
Good and Durable Working Suits. Mid-Summer Price	Natty Business Suits, Many Styles. Mid-Summer Price	Finest Business Suits, Cheviots, Cassimeres and Tweeds. Mid-Summer Price	Fine Dress Suits Imported and Diagonals and Clay Worsteds. Mid-Summer Price
\$2.87	\$4.37	\$7.23	\$9.62
BOYS'	BOYS'	BOYS'	BOYS'
Neat and serviceable Suits, Pretty shades and patterns. Mid-Summer Price	Suits for afternoon wear—good enough for Sunday, too. Mid-Summer Price	All-Wool Cassimere, Cheviot and Tweed Suits. Mid-Summer Price	Suits that were \$5, \$6, \$7 and \$7.50. Mid-Summer Price
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230 Erie Uprights, \$125.
350 Summer Uprights, \$200.
425 Summer Uprights, \$275.
450 Webster Uprights, \$325.
500 Trumbull Uprights, \$350.
150 Mason & Hamlin Organs, \$75.
150 Beethoven Uprights Organs, \$95.
65 Beethoven Organs, \$25.
125 Oxford Pianos, \$50.
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